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There were 225 fresh cases of the disease reported during the 24 hours ending

LISBON, April 26 .- It is now officially admitted that the recent sickness here. classed as cholerine is really cholera; but it is described as being of a mild form.

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TWO BIG CANALS.

Congress Considering the Practicability of a Scheme,

To Save Great Distances in Transportation.

STARVED TO DEATH.

Sad Ending of a Brilliant Washington Belle.

WASHINGTON, April 26 .- [Special.]-The house committee on railways and canals is struggling vigorously with several matters which have been comparatively neglected until a few days past, and the subcommittee is investigating the bills for canals. The great project of a ship canal from the Mississippi to Łake Superior has got so far as to demand serious attention, and Hon. Mr. Kiefer of Minnesota, who introduced the principal bill, has secured many favorable opinions for it. His proposed canal would start at St. Paul, follow the Mississippi to near its head and then go through a chain of lakes to Duluth, thus describing a complete semicircle. Another route advocated is up the St. Croix to its head and then across the summit level by way of numerous lakes, and a third leaves the St. Croix and follows up an eastern branch of it, running into Duluth from the south. All these are far north of the much discussed Hennepin canal, and it is easy to figure on the basis of existing transportation what the gains would be

Reduction In Transportation Rates. Last year about 11,000,000 tons of freight passed over the "Soo" canal, of which about 5,000,000 tons went to points on the proposed canal. At the ordinary reduction m railroad rates the canal would have saved \$2,500,000 on that amount. It is claimed that the saving would be 10 cents per barrel on the 500,000 barrels of flour shipped from Minneapolis on this route, and of course the cheaper transportation for coal would greatly increase its con-sumption by the prairie states in the northwest. The engineers' estimates of the canal vary all the way from \$5,000,000 to

nearly twice as much. The hearings and arguments on the proposed Ningara ship canal are also quite interesting. The bills introduced by Mr. Chiekering of New York and Mr. Powers of Vermont are almost identical, and a general hearing preparatory to final action is to be had within a day or two. The proposition is for a ship canal from the great lakes to the Hudson. Another and a rather surprising proposition is for an en-larged canal from Lake Erie to the Ohio river to start at a point near Erie, Pa., and terminate near Pittsburg. The pres-ent bill, which provides only for a survey, was favorably reported to the Fifty-second congress from this committee, but not acted upon, and present indications are that all bills appropriating money for any new scheme will be ignored by this house.

Financial Matters. The banking and currency committee of the house has before it 14 bills for repealing the tax on state bank circulation, and yet those who have polled the house carefully are not yet able to say positively that they find a majority in favor of such repeal. Mr. Swanson found about 160 present members in favor of repeal in various ways and reported that enough of the absentees were known to be of that line to give a safe majority. It appears, however, that about a third of those favoring the repeal do so on condition that state bank money shall be surrounded by various federal safeguards. In short, they would consent to state banks of issue if they were somewhat better braced than the present national banks. In many sections of the west the state banks made a better showing in last summer's panic than the national banks, and this fact is being used for all it is worth in argument that the present advantages of the state banks as to security for deposits might be united with the advantages of the national banks as to security for billholders, and thus an ideally perfect system established.

The arguments pro and con before the committee and the documents filed in support thereof are enough to make a common man's head ache, and this appears to be one of the chief reasons why the measure makes so little progress. The average man, and therefore the average congressman, very soon tires of disquisitions on finance, and so far as an outsider can see the committee is little if any nearer to a decision than it was a month ago. Altogether there are 66 bills before this committee to make money plenty and the currency elastic. The committee has devoted the most earnest study and thought to Mr. Walker's bill to reorganize the system of providing a national currency, and just at present it seems to have a fair chance of being fa-

The hot fight between the Alexandria and Mount Vernon railroad and real estate owners as to the use of the reclaimed flats has been prolonged before the District committee and in the city generally until if has become a burden. However, the board of trade has at last decided overwhelmingly against allowing the railroad to cross the flats, and this will probably settle it unless there is some sly work before the committee.

A Sad Case. The intelligence that the once beautiful and brilliant wife of Attorney General Williams had starved herself to death at her Oregon home excited general regret and much comment here. Although near 20 years have passed since she was the reigning queen of official society and virtually mistress of social observances at the White House, yet she is remembered with admiration by every one who was then here. Her case is remarkable as that of a woman of beauty and talent whose early life was stormy and troubled to a pitiful degree and her later years unspeakably and, and yet the middle period of her life brilliant and happy. When she went from Iowa to Oregon it would have seemed to an ordinary observer that a very retired life was all that remained to her, yet she married an eminent judge, came to Washington as the wife of a senator and often had occasion to extend social patronage to those who had derided her in early womanhood. The end of it all was religious fanaticism, voluntary starvation and death

in comparative obscurity. A Noticeable Stir. Although the advance members of Coxey's army declare that it is the most peaceful and henest of organizations, and the correspondents who have been coming and AVC. correspondents who have and the army verify the statement, and although most people

try to laugh at the scare, there is, just the same, a noticeable stir of preparation, especially in the thinly settled suburbs. More than one citizen who says it is all nonsense to fear danger from such a crowd has been seen to take extra precautions with the fastenings of his windows and doors, and it is darkly hinted that there is an increase in the sale of small firearms and the general burnishing up of old ones.

NOT A COXEY CROWD.

Bostonians Go Through Here in a Special Train of Pullmans.

The first of four of the Raymond & Whitcomb excursionists to the west from New England passed through Topeka just before noon today. The train consists of six coaches, four sleepers, a dining car and a baggage car. The party consists of sixty people in charge of C. A. Cook of Boston, and is divided into three parties-twenty will go to California and Alaska and are out for seventy-five days; fifteen will go to Califor-nia, north along the Pacific coast and back by Yellowstone park, and will gone sixty-eight days; twenty-five are out for sixty-two days, and will visit only Cali-

The party is a gathering of wealthy Boston, New York and Philadelphia

The trains left Boston Monday moraing, and is not making rapid time. Stops of a day or two will begin as the com-pany enters Colorado, and will continue to the end of the trip. No stops will be be made in Kansas. The trip will cost each of the excursionists in the neighborhood of \$1,500, tickets alone costing

ALL ALONG THE LINES.

Railroad News Items Interesting to Railroaders and the Public. H. Monkhouse, of Horton, assistant su-

perintendent of motive power of the Rock Island, is in the city.
S. T. Fulton, of Kansas City, chief clerk in the K. C., F. S. & M., was in the

city last evening. O. A. Brown, Santa Fe agent at Wich-

ita, was at the general offices yesterday Chief Clerk H. F. Smith, of the Santa Fe freight office, returned from St. Louis

last evening. It is perhaps worthy of mention that the Missouri Pacific passenger depot has been scrubbed.

Denver is to have a new union depot in place of the one lately burned. Barney Lantry, the prominent railroad contractor, passed through over the Santa Fe last evening from Wisconsin to his

home in Strong City. Henry C. Speer, formerly of Topeks, has been re-elected vice president of the Chesapeake Beach railway.

The Burlington expects to spend half a million dollars in enlarging its yards and terminal facilities at Kansas City this

R. B. F. Pierce went through Topeka yesterday on his way to California. He is general manager of the Indianapolis, Dayton & Western. Four new dining cars are being fitted

up by the Santa Fe for the hotel men's excursion to Denver in May. Avery Turner, superintendent of the middle division of the Santa Fe, and wife, and Mrs. R. C. Ten Eyck went through town on the Santa Fe yesterday

to Chicago. The 'Frisco will probably soon put on its through Galveston and St. Louis lim-

ited train again. In explaining its position in the emi-grant rate war the Southern Pacific says it never was a party to the rate made by the Western Passenger association. It says further that it is neither for nor against the Union Pacific in the matter. The New York Times says that the

new committee on reorganization of the Santa Fe is the strongest combination of financial interests ever formed to aid a A party of shriners will go to Kansas City over the Rock Island this afternoon to see the degree of the Mystic Shrine

conferred on about sixty candidates tomorrow night. A new time card is expected to take effect on Missouri Pacific next Sunday, but no official announcement has been made as to what the changes will be. It is quite certain, though, that a mixed train will be put on the Anthony branch to restore passenger train service, as ordered by the state board of railroad commissioners and promised by the road. The local time will probably remain

about the same. Beginning next Sunday there will be a few changes on the Santa Fe, but they will not affect this division. The Ellinwood branch passenger will connect with No. 6 on the main line at Florence in the afternoons, instead of No. 114, as now. There will be a few changes on the line in Colorado and the west also.

W. Littlefield, of the Santa Fe law department, is in Minneapolis, Minn., on egal business Treasurer E. Wilder, of the Santa Fe,

returned from Chicago last evening. SHOPS AND OFFICES. Some News Notes of Personal and General

The Santa Fe car shops have received four car loads of car wheels from the

foundry at Fort Madison, Iowa. Night Hostler Jas. Phillips, of the Santa Fe round house, went to Bucklin, Mo., today in answer to a telegram saying that his father-in-law was danger-

George Thomas, of Topeka, accompanies the Raymond & Whitman excursion through Colorado as baggageman. W. H. Wishart, o Chicago, traveling passenger agent of the Rock Island, was in the city this morning.

The Populist central committee has applied to the railroads for a one fare for he round trip rate to their convention at

Topeks on June 12th.

Miss Kate Watkins, of the Union Pacific depot, returned last night from her Kansas City trip.

H. G. Kaill of Kansas City, general freight agent of the Union Pacific, was in the city this marries.

in the city this morning.

The father of J. C. Fulton, the Union Pacific agent here, died at Abilene this morning and will be brought here for burial tomorrow.

Dr. Atwood, general freight agent, and H Monkhouse, superin endent of ma-chinery, accompanied Superintendent A. J. Hitt on his southern trip over the Rock Island.

There was a slight rain last night be-tween Pratt and Liberal on the Rock Rob Finnie of the railroad Y. M. C. A. left his watch in the rooms yesterday while he went to dinner, and when he

came back it was gone.

NEWS OF KANSAS.

Salina Street Railway Sued by Phoenix Iron Co.,

Represented by W. L. Frick of Pittsburg, Pa.

OTHER STATE NEWS.

Coal Miners in Atchison Mines Strike.

SALINA, April 26.—The Salina Electric Railway company case has reached the district court, and for an institution which is supposed to be dead is creating a very lively legal contest.

The Phoenix Iron company of Pennsylvania has brought suit in replevin against the electric railway company's receiver, J. B. Phillips, presenting a little bill of \$5,500 for machinery, etc., to be satisfied. This action of the iron company has called out the contractors who built the power house, and who have mechanics' liens against the prop-

Mr. W. F. Gilbert has a lien of \$1,500, Mr. John Jeffries for \$843.70 and the Nelson Building company for \$79.10, making over \$7,000 in all to be satisfied, and in addition to which there is also a mortgage on the real estate and building of the company for \$800, which is now being foreclosed.

It seems that there were two companies connected with the electric railway scheme, one was the Salina Electric Rrilway Co., and the other the Salina Consolidated Light and Power Co. C. L. Baum was president of both companies. Mr. Baum is present today and Mr. W. L. Friek of Pennsylvania is also here in the interest of the Phoenix Co. He is a relative of H. C. Frick the superintendent of the Homestead works.

STRIKE REACHES ATCHISON. Coal Miners Quit Work Eccause Their Demands are Refused.

Atchison, April 26.—The strike has reached Atchison and all but six of the Donald coal miners have laid down their tools, and quit work. The grievance is entirely local. The men have been receiving \$1.50 a ton, and demanded an additional fifty cents a ton.

Mr. Donald informed them that their demand could not be complied with, and the men who would not agree to work at the old prices were paid the amounts due them. Word was sent to Leaven-worth and Osage City, and it is expected that a sufficient number of men will be here in a few days to operate the mine to its fullest capacity.

The number desired is in the neighborhood of thirty. W. T. F. Donald said that he had hired four new men, and that he will have a complete force in a few days. He says the old miners struck because they read in the papers that the mine had contracted for 600 tons of coal, believing that the contracts had to be

STRONG CITY'S "ARMY."

STRONG CITY, April 26 .- Strong City

will start a Coxey contingent east Friday. "Colonel" Bill Fredericks and "Lieutenant" Thomas Brant Long in Oil Trust Gets a Ne command. So far \$380 has been raised for the "army." It is expected that 300 men will leave here. Negotiations are now pending for transportation over the Missouri Pacific.

Kansas Democrats. LEAVENWORTH, April 26.—The Demo-cratic committee for the First Kansas district has issued a call for a congressional convention at Valley Falls on July The basis of representation was fixed at two delegates at large for each county and one delegate for every 150 votes cast at the last national election for Cleveland. The only candidates spoken of were H. C. Solomon, of Atchison, and

J. H. Atwood, of Leavenworth. Baby Drowned in a Well.

LAWRENCE, April 26.—As water was being drawn from a well at 1309 Ken-tucky street the dead body of an infant was brought to the surface in a bucket. Coronor Leonard was at once notified and began an inquest. The body was of a fully developed girl. From appearances it had been in the water several days. A medical examination revealed that the baby was born alive and had breathed.

A Harrible Death. Newton, April 26.—A 3-year-old child of a colored family by the name of Gray, living about eight miles from town, swallowed a quantity of concentrated lye. In the afternoon the child was brought to town for medical treatment, but owing to the length of time which had elapsed after the lye was taken, no relief could be given the little sufferer, and death ensued.

Fire at Emporia.

EMPORIA, April 26.—The grocery store of S. R. Hall has been almost totally destroyed by fire. The main part of the second floor is used as a lodge room by the colored Masons. The fire originated in the back part of the building and it is thought on the first floor. The lodge room was not badly damaged, but the grocery stock is almost a total loss.

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rison invested some money in Tacoma. Of late he has not been able to collect the interest on the principal. He could not even collect accruing rent for deferred payments. The property has been attached and the Harrison mortgage ordered foreclosed.

FINISHED THEIR WORK.

Indiana Republicans Work Clear Into the Morning and Finish Nominating. Indianapolis, April 26 .- The Republican state convention continued its la-bors till nearly daylight this morning, and fatigue had overtaken most of the delegates.

At 3:50 the convention had finished its work and adjourned sine die. The full state ticket as finally nomina-

Secretary of state, W. D. Owen, Logansport; auditor, A. C. Dailey, Lebanon, Ind.: treasurer, F. J. Scholz, Evansville; attorney general, W. A. Ketcham, Indianapolis.

Supreme court reporter—Alexander Hess, of Wabash. Superintendent of instruction-D. M. Geeting, Davies county.
State statistician—S. J. Thompson,

Shelbyville. Justices of supreme court, First district—T. J. Monks, Randolph county. Fourth district—J. H. Jordan, Morgan Gov. Flower Vetoes From Spite.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 26.—Gov. Flower has vetoed the annual appropriation bill use the Republican legislature re-Three Hundred Coxeyites Will Leave fused to strike out the section to allow the attorney general to designate all counsel employed by state commissions. This action of the governor will prob-

Oil Trust Gets a New Recruit. DENVER, April 26 .- The Vacuum Oil company which has controlled the sale of two-thirds of the lubricating oil consumed in the west, will be consolidated May 15 with the Continental Oil company, the western representative of the Standard oil trust.

LOCAL MENTION.

Lawyer Henry L. Call has gone to New York on some business connected with the settlement of an estate for a wealthy client and will be gone until about the first of September. It is possible that he will go to Germany before he returns to

Topeka. had a right to. Such effrontry was not to be allowed and Foreman Jack Purcell proceeded to see about it with a driving

Raleigh J. Fulton, one of the pioneers of Kansas, died at his home in Abilene at 6 o'clock this morning. He had been in feeble health for a long time, and his death was not unlooked for. He was surrounded by his children at the time. He leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters, all well known in this community. The deceased came to Kansas in the early fiftles and was the first sheriff of Jackson county, which at that time included all of Shawnee county north of the river.

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IMPORTANT CHANGES. THE ROCK ISLAND MAKES MANY IMPOR-TANT CHANGES BY THEIR NEW TIME CARD, SHORTENING UP THE TIME TO

By the new time card, which goes into effect on the Rock Island the 29th, the time between Topeka and Chicago is shortened thirty-five minutes. The Kan-sas City morning train will leave at 6:00 o'clock instead of 5:10, and run to Kan-

sas City in two hours. The Fort Worth train will go west at 12:55 noon, and 11:50 night.

The Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo train will go west at 1:35 noon,

and 11:40 night The Chicago trains via Kausas City will leave Topeka at 3:30, and 3:50 in the afternoon via St. Joe at 3:55 p. m., arriving at St. Joe at 7:20.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT.

Chicago Market. TACOMA, Wash., April 26.—When times were good ex-President Benjamin Harrison invested some money in Tacoma.

CHICAGO, April 26.—Wheat opened at yesterday's closing figures for both May and July options. Reports of rain in California, and favorable weather east of the Rockies, as well as the bearish summary by the Price Current caused an immediate decline of 1/4c, when a buying movement set in, due mainly to steadiness in outside markets. May advanced %e to 59c, unimportant fluctua-

tions following.

Corn opened at yesterday's closing oats for May opened at 34c, a decline of 1/4c, and changed slightly on a dull market.

Pork was higher on diminished receipts, May opening at \$12.65, May lard \$6.5734. May ribs \$6.5716

APRIL 26. |Op'd|High|Low.|Clo'd| Yes. WHEAT- Apl. . . 58% 58% 58% 58% 58% 58% May .. 581 591 581 581 58 8 July. 60% 60% 60% 60% 60% Sept. 6234 6238 6238 6238 6238 May . . 8836 8836 8898 8896

1 July . 29% 80 291 29% 29% CATTLE-Receipts, 10,000. Market active, triffe higher; advance so far this week 25@30c. Prime to extra native steers, \$4.60@4.85; medium, \$4.25@4.50; others \$4.00@4.10; Texans, \$8.00@3.55.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000. Market active, opened strong and triffe higher; closed weak with advance lost. Rough heavy, \$4.25@4.75; packers and mixed, \$5.15 @ \$5.30@5.35; assorted light, \$5.20@5.30. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000. In demand and 10c higher. Top sheep,

\$4.25@4.50; top lambs, \$4.75@4.85. Ransas City Market. Kansas City, April 26,—WHEAT— Market firm. No. 2 hard, 501/2@51c; No. 2 red, 55c; No. 3 red, 50@52c; re-Conn-Market steady. No. 2 mixed,

8514@3514c; No. 2 white, 3614c. Oars—Firm. No. 2 mixed, 3314@34c; No. 2 white, 34@341/4c. RYE-Firm at 49c. FLAXSEED-Firm \$1.11@1.12.

Eggs-Firmer at 81/2c.

Bran-Weak, 58@60c. Hay-Firm; timothy prairie \$6.00@7.00. timothy, \$8.00@0.00; BUTTER-Quiet; creamery 20@21; dairy 15@18c.

,500. Market was steady to 10c higher. A strange man walked boldly into the Santa Fe roundhouse this morning and climbed into the cab of 108 as though he had a right to. Such effrontry was not to feeders, \$2.35@3.80; fulls, \$2.00@3.35. Hoes — Receipts, 7,500; shipments, 2,700. Market 10c higher. Bulk, \$5.00 rod. But he didn't. The strange man @5.10; heavies, packers and mixed, \$4.95 was Engineer Joe Snyder without his @5.15; lights, yorkers and pigs, \$4.50 SHEEP-Receipts, 1,800; shipments

CATTLE-Receipts, 3,100; shipments,

3,600. Market steady. New York Stock Market. American Sugar Refinery, 100; A. T. S. F., 13%; C., B. & Q., 80; Erie, 15%; L. & N., 49%; Missouri Pacific, 29%; Reading, 19%; New England, 9%; Rock Island, 69%; St. Paul, 62; Union Pacific 1934; Western Union 88%; Chicago Garantee 19%; Western Union, 88%; Chicago Gas, 6312; Cordage, 2314.

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